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In Re Application Of:

William J. Jones
Douglas U. Mennie

Application No: 08/833,095

Filed: April 4, 1997

For: Method And Apparatus For Discriminating
And Counting Documents

Atty. Docket No.: CUMM:183

Examiner: Phuoc Tran

Group Art Unit: 2721

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James M. SklenaAMENDMENT TRANSMITTALAssistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for this application.

Applicants are other than a small entity.

The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply.

Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. This conditional petition is being made, however, to provide for the possibility that Applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims Remaining	Highest No. Paid For	Extra	Small Entity	Large Entity
Total	52	23	29 x	\$ 9 = \$	\$ 18 = \$522
Independent	12	6	6 x	\$ 39 = \$	\$ 78 = \$468
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented				\$ 130 = \$	\$ 260 = \$ 0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE					\$990


The total additional fee for claims required is \$990.00.

Enclosed is Check No. 6857 in the amount of \$990.00 to cover the additional claims.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-2508 (CUMM:183). A duplicate copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for that purpose.

Date: 11/18/98

Respectfully submitted,



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Submitted herewith is one set of four (4) sheets of formal drawings (FIGS. 9 and 18-21), which should be substituted for the drawings presently in this application. Formal drawings were submitted with the application, however, they were objected to by the Official Draftperson. Accordingly, the enclosed drawings correct the deficiencies in the previous drawings.

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